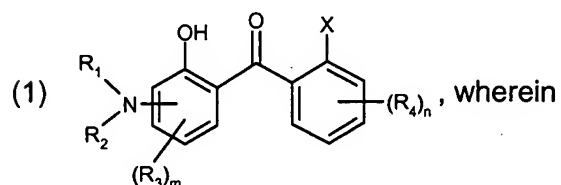


## In the Claims

1. **(currently amended)** ~~The use of~~ A cosmetic or pharmaceutical composition, useful as an organic UV filter for preventing the tanning of human skin, comprising

(a) UV filters selected from the compounds of formula



R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub>, independently from each other are hydrogen; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>alkyl; C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>alkenyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>cycloalkyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>cycloalkenyl; or R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bonded can form a 5- or 6-membered ring;

R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub>, independently from each other are C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>alkyl; C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>alkenyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>-cycloalkyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>cycloalkenyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkoxy; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>alkoxycarbonyl; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkylamino; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>dialkylamino; C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>aryl; C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>heteroaryl, optionally substituted, substituents which confer solubility in water, chosen from the group consisting of a nitrile group, carboxylate, sulfonate or ammonium radicals;

X is hydrogen; COOR<sub>5</sub>; CONR<sub>6</sub>R<sub>7</sub>;

R<sub>5</sub>, R<sub>6</sub> and R<sub>7</sub>, independently from each other are hydrogen; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>alkyl; C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>alkenyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>cycloalkyl; C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>10</sub>cycloalkenyl; or (Y-O)<sub>o</sub>-Z-aryl;

Y is -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>2</sub>-; -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>3</sub>-; -(CH<sub>2</sub>)<sub>4</sub>-; -CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)-CH<sub>2</sub>-;

Z is -CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub>; -CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub>; -CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>2</sub>-CH<sub>3</sub>; -CH(CH<sub>3</sub>)-CH<sub>3</sub>;

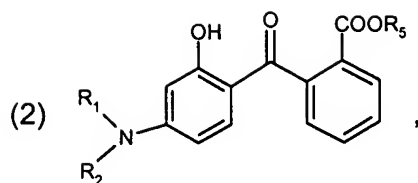
m is a number from 0 to 3;

n is a number from 0 to 4; and

o is a number from 1 to 20

~~as organic UV filters for preventing tanning human skin.~~

2. **(currently amended)** ~~Use~~ A composition according to claim 1, wherein the UV filters (a) correspond to formula



wherein

R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> independently from each other are hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl; or R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> together with the nitrogen atom to which they are bonded form a 5- or 6-membered ring; and  
R<sub>5</sub> is hydrogen; C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl; or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>cycloalkyl.

**3. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~ A composition according to claim 1 ~~or 2~~, wherein

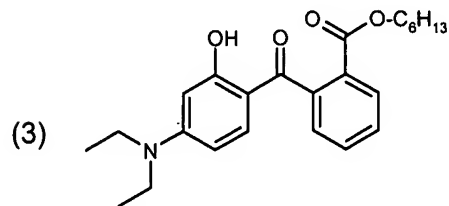
R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub>, independently from each other are C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>5</sub>alkyl; and

R<sub>5</sub> is C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>12</sub>alkyl.

**4. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~ A composition according to claim 1 ~~any of claims 1 to 3~~, wherein

R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> have the same meaning.

**5. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~ A composition according to claim 1 ~~any of claims 1 to 4~~, wherein the UV filters (a) correspond to formula



**6. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~ A composition according to claim 1 ~~any of claims 1 to 4~~, wherein which contains

(b) at least one additional UV filter ~~is used additionally~~.

**7. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~A composition according to claim 6~~any of claims 1 to 6~~ wherein the additional UV filters (b) are selected from p-aminobenzoic acid derivatives, salicylic acid derivatives, benzophenone derivatives different from those of formula (1), dibenzoylmethane derivatives, diphenylacrylates, 3-imidazol-4-ylacrylic acid and esters; benzofuran derivatives, polymeric UV absorbers, cinnamic acid derivatives, camphor derivatives, hydroxyphenyltriazine compounds, benzotriazole compounds, trianilino-s-triazine derivatives, 2-phenylbenzimidazole-5-sulfonic acid and salts thereof, menthyl o-aminobenzoates, physical coated or non-coated sunscreens, perfluoroalcohol phosphate, aminohydroxy-benzophenone derivatives and phenyl-benzimidazole derivatives.

**8. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~A composition according to claim 1~~any of claims 1 to 7, wherein~~which contains  
(c) a pharmaceutical or cosmetic active ingredient~~is additionally used~~.

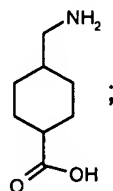
**9. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~A composition according to claim 8~~any of claims 1 to 8, wherein the~~  
pharmaceutical or cosmetic active ingredient (c) is an antioxidant.

**10. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~A composition according to claim 1~~any of claims 1 to 9, wherein~~which contains  
(d) a pigment regulator agent~~is additionally used~~.

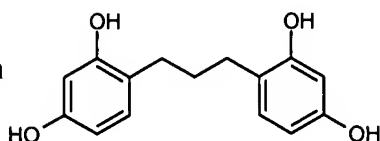
**11. (currently amended)** ~~Use~~A composition according to claim 10~~any of claims 1 to 10, wherein the~~  
pigment regulator agent (d) is a skin lightening agent and is selected from  $\gamma$ -pyron derivatives, hydroquinone, resorcin derivatives; glycines; alkyl dicarboxylic acids; 1,2-dihydroxyphenyl derivatives; urea, furanones, phenylacetaldehydes; benzaldehydes; 4-methoxycinnamaldehydes; isomeic decene acids; ascorbic acid and derivatives thereof; salicylic acid derivatives thereof; phenolic compounds;

benzo[b]pyran derivatives, bornyl- and cinnamate derivatives, azulenes and derivatives thereof;  $\alpha$ -

hydroxy-carboxylic acids; the compound of formula



and the compound of formula



**12. (currently amended)** ~~Use a composition~~ according to claim 11, wherein the skin whitening agent (d) is selected from kojic acid, arbutin, quercitin, aloesin, azelain acid, guaial, and ellag acid.

**13. (currently amended)** ~~Use of a~~ cosmetic or pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1 further comprising  
(b) at least one additional UV filter and  
(c) a pharmaceutical or cosmetic active ingredient ~~component (a) and optionally (b), (c) and (d) is used as anti-wrinkling agent.~~

**14. (currently amended)** ~~Use of a~~ cosmetic or pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1 further comprising  
(b) at least one additional UV filter and  
(d) a pigment regulator agent ~~component (a) and optionally (b), (c) and (d) is used as skin firming agent.~~

**15. (currently amended)** ~~Use of a~~ cosmetic or pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1 further comprising  
(c) a pharmaceutical or cosmetic active ingredient and

(d) a pigment regulator agent component (a) and optionally (b), (c) and (d) is used as anti-skin-lifting agent.